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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE VANGUARD STATION SUPPORT FOR AEC

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1. RECENT EVENTS IN CHILE HAVE RESULTED IN NEED FOR NASA TO PROVIDE POSSIBLE BACK-UP SUPPORT FOR UPCOMING ATMOSPHERE EXPLORER-C (AE-C) LAUNCH DECEMBER 5. ORIGINALLY SUPPORT PROGRAMED FROM SANTIAGO AND THIS STILL PREIMARY PLAN. HOWEVER IF EVENTS PREVENT FULL SUPPORT, IT IS POSSIBLE THAT NASA WILL HAVE SERIOUS TECHNICAL REQUIREMENT TO USE VANGUARD FOR ORBITAL SUPPORT OF AE-C MISSION. IN THIS EVENT IF EMBASSY PRECEIVES NO OBJECTIONS WE WOULD HOPE THAT ARRANGEMENTS WOULD BE WORKED OUT INFORMALLY WITH CNIE SIMILAR TO THOSE FOR THE TRILATERATION EXPERIMENT. (SEE STATE 081659

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AND EMBASSY'S 3214).

2. AE-C IS THIRD IN A SERIES OF NASA SPACECRAFT DESIGNED TO PROVIDE NEW KNOWLEDGE OF THE ATMOSPHERE WHICH SHOULD LEAD TO A MORE COMPLETE UNDERSTANDING OF THE PHYSICAL PROCESSES GOVERNING THE BEHAVIOR AND FORMATION OF THE LOWER THERMOSPHERE AND AN IMPROVEMENT OF THE MODELS DEFINING THE INTERACTION BETWEEN THE THERMOSPHERE AND UPPER ATMOSPHERE.

3. IF VANGUARD SUPPORT REQUIRED EMBASSY WILL BE REQUESTED TO INFORM CNIE OF PLANS, AND OBTAIN CONFIRMATION THAT CNIE HAS NO OBJECTION TO CONDUCT OF THIS SUPPORT. ANY AE-C SUPPORT WOULD, OF COURSE, BE CONDUCTED ON NON-INTERFERENCE BASIS WITH SKYLAB IV MISSION.

4. AS EMBASSY AWARE, NASA GODDARD EMPLOYEE ZINK VISITING VANGUARD TO COORDINATE PREVIOUSLY PLANNED INSTALLATION OF REQUIRED EQUIPMENT ON CONTINGENCY BASIS. KISSINGER

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